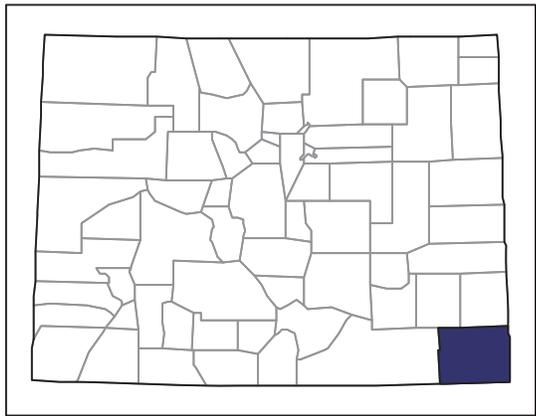


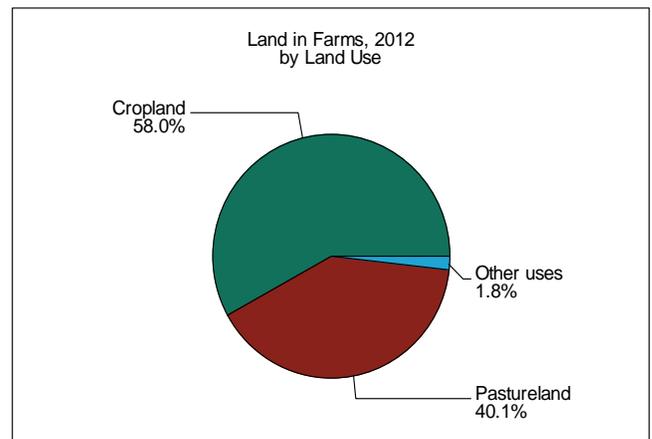
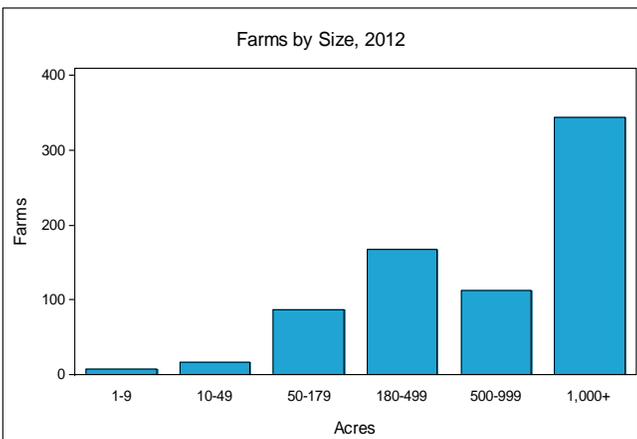
2012 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE

COUNTY PROFILE



Baca County Colorado

	2012	2007	% change
Number of Farms	737	777	- 5
Land in Farms	1,503,419 acres	1,300,876 acres	+ 16
Average Size of Farm	2,040 acres	1,674 acres	+ 22
Market Value of Products Sold	\$125,299,000	\$111,202,000	+ 13
Crop Sales \$78,922,000 (63 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$46,376,000 (37 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$170,012	\$143,117	+ 19
Government Payments	\$15,510,000	\$11,448,000	+ 35
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$23,935	\$18,405	+ 30





Baca County – Colorado

Ranked items among the 63 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2012

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	125,299	12	63	955	3,077
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	78,922	12	63	813	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	46,376	15	63	954	3,076
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	(D)	8	48	(D)	2,926
Tobacco	-	-	-	-	436
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-	-	635
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	-	-	47	-	2,802
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	-	-	37	-	2,724
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	-	-	51	-	2,678
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	-	-	20	-	1,530
Other crops and hay	(D)	(D)	62	(D)	3,049
Poultry and eggs	6	42	58	2,571	3,013
Cattle and calves	(D)	11	62	(D)	3,056
Milk from cows	-	-	26	-	2,038
Hogs and pigs	(D)	8	53	(D)	2,827
Sheep, goats, wool, mohair, and milk	61	41	58	1,766	2,988
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	115	36	62	1,707	3,011
Aquaculture	-	-	25	-	1,366
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	56	(D)	2,924
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Wheat for grain, all	215,053	3	46	37	2,537
Winter wheat for grain	215,053	3	45	18	2,480
Sorghum for grain	71,688	1	22	7	1,220
Corn for grain	46,232	9	33	651	2,638
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	14,611	31	62	1,278	3,057
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Cattle and calves	41,868	14	63	649	3,063
Hogs and pigs	(D)	9	56	(D)	2,889
Horses and ponies	848	37	63	1,406	3,072
Goats, all	774	12	59	760	2,996
Layers	501	41	59	2,375	3,040

Other County Highlights, 2012

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales:		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	346	Farming	357
\$1,000 to \$2,499	7	Other	380
\$2,500 to \$4,999	9	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	19	Male	590
\$10,000 to \$19,999	22	Female	147
\$20,000 to \$24,999	6	Average age of principal operator (years)	60.6
\$25,000 to \$39,999	26	All operators by race ² :	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	18	American Indian or Alaska Native	12
\$50,000 to \$99,999	71	Asian	2
\$100,000 to \$249,999	93	Black or African American	1
\$250,000 to \$499,999	67	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	2
\$500,000 or more	53	White	1,148
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	144,028	More than one race	1
Average per farm (\$)	195,424	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin ²	45
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	11,232		
Average per farm (\$)	15,241		

See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes, explanations, definitions, and methodology.

- Represents zero. (D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item. ² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.